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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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CABLE TELEVISION

IN THE MATTER OF SERVICE ELECTRIC CABLE TV)
OF NEW JERSEY FOR RENEWAL OF ITS CERTIFICATE)
OF APPROVAL FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF VERNON, IN)
THE COUNTY OF SUSSEX, STATE OF NEW JERSEY)

ORDER OF EXTENSION

OAL DOCKET NO. CTV 5507-99 BPU DOCKET NO. CE96060486

(SERVICE LIST ATTACHED)

BY THE BOARD:

The Initial Decision in the above captioned matter was acknowledged as received by the Board of Public Utilities (Board) on April 23, 2002. The forty-five (45) day statutory period for the review and rendering of a final decision by the Board was due to expire on June 7, 2002. Upon review, the Board determined that it was necessary to request an extension of the effective date of said decision until July 22, 2002. The request is pending before the Office of Administrative Law.

The extension was predicated upon the Township of Vernon's need for sufficient time to finalize the draft ordinance in this matter and to allow the Petitioner adequate time to formally adopt the ordinance. Based on the extension date of July 22, 2002, the item was originally scheduled for the Board's consideration at the agenda meeting of July 10, 2002. However, due to the change in the Board's agenda schedule, the next available agenda is July 23, 2002. Therefore, it is requested that a second forty-five day extension be granted with an effective date of September 5, 2002.

The Board has shown good cause why it cannot adopt, modify or reject the Initial Decision within the statutory time period. Therefore, pursuant to <u>P.L.</u> 1978, c. 67, Section 8(c), <u>N.J.S.A.</u> 52:14B-10(c), it is <u>ORDERED</u> that the time for the Board to render a final decision be extended forty-five (45) days until September 5, 2002.

DATED:	June 26, 2002	BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES BY:
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		JEANNE M. FOX PRESIDENT
		(signed)
		FREDERICK F. BUTLER COMMISSIONER
		(signed)
	`	CAROL J. MURPHY COMMISSIONER
		(signed)
		CONNIE O. HUGHES COMMISSIONER
ATTEST:		
(signed)		
KRISTI IZZO SECRETARY		
DATED:		JEFF S. MASIN, ACTING DIRECTOR & CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW